

Amendments To The Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A hat part (~~14; 18; 24~~) made of a plastic material which maintains its shape below a first temperature and is deformable above the first temperature, characterised in that the plastic material has a VICAT-softening temperature of from 60°C to 140°C, above which the material is deformable and remains in its formed shape below the softening temperature, and in that the plastic material is injection moulded.
2. (Original) A hat part according to claim 1, characterised in that the plastic material is a thermoplastic urethane, based on polyether or polyester.
3. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to claim 1 ~~or 2~~, characterised in that the hat part is provided as a hat flap, which has a portion resting against the head of a person bearing the hat and a distant portion, a hat material being attached to the resting portion.
4. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to claim 1 ~~or 2~~, characterised in that a visor part for a cap with visor is provided as the hat part.
5. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 4~~ claim 1, characterised in that the plastic material is realised as being partially or completely transparent.
6. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 5~~ claim 1, characterised in that the plastic material is partially or completely metallised.
7. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 6~~ claim 1, characterised in that foils are completely or partially injected into the plastic material, which are preferably imprinted.
8. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 7~~ claim 1, characterised in that pigments are incorporated into the plastic material, particularly dye pigments, effect pigments,

phosphorescing and/or fluorescing pigments, metallic and/or glittering pigments and Irocin®-pigments.

9. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 8~~ claim 1, characterised in that the plastic material is flexible and/or elastic even below the first temperature.

10. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 9~~ claim 1, characterised in that the VICAT-softening temperature represents the softening temperature for VICAT A with 50 N, of from 60°C to 140°C, preferably from 70°C to 95°C.

11. (Currently Amended) A hat part according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 10~~ claim 1, characterised in that the plastic material has a heat deflection temperature, in particular at a bending stress of 0,45 MPa, between 50°C and 170°C, preferably between 62°C and 101°C.